

(c) On receipt of representations from the ryots, after verification of records and after joint inspection of lands by the Executive Engineer and Assistant Commissioner, action is being taken to waive off water rate.

RAISING OF TUNGA DAM

418. SRI H. B. KADASIDDAPPA (Honnali).—

Will the Minister of State for Major Irrigation be pleased to state :—

(a) whether there is a proposal to raise the existing Tunga Dam to increase the atchkat ;

(b) if so, the proposed additional atchkat in Honnali taluk ;

(c) the stage at which the scheme is pending and when the same will be completed ?

SRI H. N. NANJE GOWDA (Minister of State for Major Irrigation).—

(a) to (c) Yes, this project is under investigation. The scope and implementation of this project depends upon the allocation of waters in the Krishna river system which is before the Krishna Water Disputes Tribunal.

VILLAGES WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURT AT BASAVAKALYAN

591. SRI BAPURAO HULSOORKAR (Basavakalyan).—

Will the Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state :—

(a) whether Government has received any representation requesting to include 26 villages of Basavakalyan taluk under the Criminal jurisdiction of Munsiff-Magistrate's Court, Basavakalyan ;

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government in this behalf ?

SRI D. K. NAIKAR (Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs).—

(a) Yes.

(b) Only 25 villages are not within the jurisdiction of the Court at Basavakalyan. For including them reorganisation of the Police Stations in Bidar District is necessary. Proposals for the purpose made by the Inspector General of Police are under consideration of Government.